

City of Long Beach

Rebuilding Stronger, Smarter Safer



PORT AMBROSE – The Countdown Begins

Liberty Natural Gas, LLC has submitted an application to the United States Maritime Administration for a Deep-water Port License to construct and operate a Liquefied Natural Gas (LNG) import facility approximately 17 nautical miles southeast of Jones Beach, NY. The City Council has expressed our **unanimous opposition** to the construction of the LNG deep water port, Port Ambrose.

This project has strong implications for the City of Long Beach and has raised concerns for the City Council.

Please join the City Council and Take Action!

- ➤ The construction of an LNG import facility (with potential to export) would negatively affect the Long Beach ecology, safety/security, economy and the quality of life of our residents.
- ➤ Long Beach is still rebuilding from Superstorm Sandy with many residents not back in their homes and businesses struggling to remain open.
- ➤ Long Beach is also without a Hospital which causes health and safety concerns.
- ➤ Port Ambrose is seen as an additional burden during the recovery process.



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Timeline of Events

- ✓ 12/12/14: City Council sends letter to US Coast Guard and US Maritime Administration requesting an extension for public comment to 90 days and a meeting to be held closer to Long Beach
- ✓ 1/7/15: City Council attends the Public Comment Hearing in Jamaica, NY to voice their concerns
- ✓ 1/7/15: Maritime Administration grants a 90 day extension (view both letters at www.longbeachny.gov)
- ✓ 1/15/15: Press conference on the Boardwalk calls for a Long Beach meeting & Gov. Cuomo to veto the site

Notable Dates Upcoming:

3/16: Final comment day Week of 5/4: Public Application Hearing Week of 6/15: 45-day Governor Decision Period Begins

TAKE ACTION!

We strongly urge the citizens of Long Beach and the larger region to:

- 1) Sign the City Council's letter to Governor Cuomo at City Hall or here: www.change.org/p/andrew-cuomo-veto-the-proposed-lng-pipeline-port-ambrose
- 2) Get involved with the City's efforts! Call: (516) 705-7205
- 3) Call Governor Cuomo and ask him to veto the proposed Port Ambrose project: 1-518-474-8390
- 4) For more information about the Port Ambrose project and to submit a public comment: www.regulations.gov - Docket Number USCG-2013-0363